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OFFICIALS TOLD OF NEEDS OF THEIR DEPARTMENTS

Representatives of Selectmen, Police and School Board Spoke at "Town Affairs Night" of Arlington Board of Trade. Nearly 200 Interested Citizens Present.

The Arlington Board of Trade held its annual "Town Affairs" meeting on Tuesday evening in G. A. R. Hall with a record breaking attendance. One hundred and eighty-nine sat down to dinner, or rather Dutch supper, served by Rufus Blake. Members interested in town affairs and the welfare of the organization were well repaid for their coming out.

President Elliot R. Barker announced that the full membership of the club had been almost reached. The number is 448 with only two more places left before a waiting list would be established. Several applications for membership were received but will not be voted upon until the next meeting, which will be the annual. A committee composed of R. Walter Hilliard, Andrew F. Freeman and William Haliburton, was appointed to bring in a list of candidates for the various offices. The April 19 celebration was taken up and President Barker read a letter from Frank Harwood, chairman of the committee in charge of this celebration, asking the Board of Trade to take part in the big parade here on that day. It was voted to enter the parade and a committee, consisting of Charles H. Forsyth, L. W. Goodwin and Clinton Schwamb was appointed to have charge of this matter. During the meeting the hat was passed for the Symmes Arlington Hospital Free Bed fund and \$56.65 was received.

The business of the meeting was dispatched as quickly as possible, for it was realized that the members were deeply interested in what was to come.

The first speaker was Nelson B. Crosby, of the Board of Selectmen. Mr. Crosby had been called to speak on the future of Arlington but in his introductory remarks, stated that this is too deep a subject on which to prophecy. Mr. Crosby preferred to hold to the present and take that as his text. The present is the big problem for the town. Can we hold our present boundaries, or be consolidated with some other neighboring town or city? This is a problem that is to be given a great amount of consideration now when so much talk is going on relative to annexations in Greater Boston or enlarging Cambridge. Mr. Crosby stated that had our forefathers been farsighted enough to see the problems of today, we would not be confronted by them. But we have these problems. In the past decade there were many changes. What will the next 50 or 100 years bring? With these conditions arise the question of government and citizenship. Changes in the growth of the town make necessary changes in methods of doing business. At

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present we are drifting too much toward congestion; congestion in business and congestion everywhere. Many industries could well be taken from the congested areas and brought farther out to relieve this crowded condition. Congestion means places where crime, graft, and immorality thrive. We should try to keep all undesirable things from our town or city. Mr. Crosby said that we should be content with our present conditions and avoid consolidations of any kind. Our present form of government in the town is the best possible to get results. He stated that economy was one of the great things to be considered in the running of a town. To show how the town has grown, Mr. Crosby stated that in the past three years \$11,000,000 in building permits had been granted. There were 1,084 houses, 786 garages and 39 blocks of stores. This means that developments have been thrust upon us and calls for new schools, more police, more firemen, new streets and added expense. We are like the boy who has outgrown his clothes. His parents must go to a large expense to get him new ones although the old ones are not worn out. If we are to keep our town on a par with others, we must spend more money and so keep up with the growth. We have established a fire hazard by our rapid building and this calls for more expense. Mr. Crosby at the close of his remarks, gave an outline of the duties of the Selectmen and Joint Board. Mr. Crosby praised the work of the various departments that come under this board, such as the firemen, the police and especially the Finance Committee, which, while not coming under the supervision of the board, is in contact with it at all times.

Chief of Police Thomas O. D. Urquhart was the next speaker and gave the members some very interesting data relative to the department of which he is the head. The only regret was that the amount of time allotted to the chief was up before he had finished his talk. The Chief started with when he was first appointed here and showed how the department has grown. For instance, that the amount appropriated only a few years ago, now only is enough to pay for the town traffic squad. The need of this squad was shown by the chief, who by figures demonstrated how the death rate had been kept down since the establishment of a traffic squad. He asked that the members of the Board of Trade co-operate with him in keeping the rate down and in trying to have a clean

TEARING DOWN TO MAKE ROOM FOR THE NEW

This week the demolishing of Swan Block began, and quite remarkable progress has been made in succeeding days. On this site when cleared, will be erected a one-story block that will contain seven stores at least. As in years past it has been closed by a temporary fence for the required legal period. The entrance to Swan place and the vacant strip of land to the railroad tracks is presumed to go with the block, but we understand there has been raised a question as to ownership of the equity of this narrow strip of land.

The work of demolishing the old Arlington House on the corner of Medford street and Mass. avenue has gone rapidly forward during the past week, and it is likely before another week the ground will be in shape to begin the erection of the block of buildings that will take the place of the old landmark. This new block will be erected on the new line of Broadway, established several years ago, that will place it some nineteen feet back from the front line on which the hotel stood. The new building will have accommodation for seven stores and will be of one story only, but the front will rise twenty-two feet from the base, and is likely to be an ornament to this important location.

JAMES RAY COLE LODGE Knights of Pythias Celebrates Its 19th Anniversary.

James Ray Cole Lodge, Knights of Pythias celebrated their 19th anniversary Thursday evening, Feb. 26th, with a banquet and dance at Odd Fellows Hall.

More than a hundred enjoyed the repast when several of the grand and supreme lodge members were present.

Chancellor-commander Frank W. Johnson gave the address of welcome. Interesting speeches were

made by S. R. Harlan, P. Knight, G. C. William G. Lord; S. I. D. Clifford E. Jones; D. G. C. J. H. Morrison and the president of the Rank Staff Association, William H. Cox. Many favorable comments were made of the picture of the late P. C. William E. Dodge, that hangs in the hall and which was presented recently to the lodge by the Rank Staff Association.

Past Chancellor MacAllister was toastmaster of the evening and was also in charge of the arrangements. The music for the evening was furnished by Deschamp's Ye Lantern Orchestra.

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Miss E. Caroline Pierce Polls Largest Vote in Arlington Election

Although the weather conditions on Monday were calculated to draw people out of doors to enjoy the bright sunshine and bracing air, they had no drawing effect on legal voters to bring them to the several voting places, for out of a registered voting list numbering over 9,000, less than one-third of this total took the trouble to vote for candidates for town offices. As a considerable majority of this vote was cast before nine o'clock, it is evident that it is the busy people, on their way to take up the day's duties who realize responsibility and act accordingly; that it is the stay-at-homes that are negligent.

There were three sections on the ballot that represented contests for honors,—Public Works, School Committee and Planning Board. For the first of the offices named, James R. Smith won with 1300 votes to 1020 cast for William P. Dale. Myron W. Dole was the one among the four candidates for School Committee failing to score, and a similar fate fell to the lot of Mr. Walter S. Elliott in the contest for places on the Planning Board.

The largest vote cast was for town clerk, E. Caroline Pierce. This was a compliment to Miss Pierce, who by the vote has been shown that citizens of Arlington have confidence in her ability to serve them. Mr. Nelson B. Crosby, who succeeds himself as Selectman for three years, had the next largest vote, while Moderator John G. Brackett polled the third largest.

We give below the names of candidates and the votes each received,

A UNIFORM DECORATION With the U. S. Flag Seems Likely, Along Mass. Avenue.

The committee from the Arlington Board of Trade, in charge of the uniform decoration scheme that is being worked out, has sent out cards to the residents along the avenue to see if they will come in on this scheme. The scheme is for each to have a standard placed in front of their home and display the flag on legal holidays or special occasions. Thus far the committee has met with great success and it now looks as if Mass. avenue would be lined with these standards on both sides from the Cambridge line to the Lexington line.

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ARLINGTON INTERESTED IN CLEANING UP OF SPY POND

Representative Currier, Senator Warren, Alfred W. Lombard and Hon. James A. Bailey, with Others, Heard at a Legislative Hearing Held on Tuesday.

and in addition the full roster of Town Meeting Members, as follows:

Town Meeting Members, 3 Years.

Precinct One, Wm. P. Aylward, 10 Townbridge st., J. R. Bentley, 61 Harlow st.; W. N. Bixby, 38 Marathon street; Charles Parrott, 58 Teel street; H. Warren Foss, 42 Everett street; Fred G. Gaskin, 91 Harlow street; George C. Hammond, 31 Webster street; Frederick W. Hill, 15 Oxford street; John W. Huebler, 27 Windsor street; Edward A. Morton, 36 Everett street; John V. Nichols, 2 Lee terrace; Walter E. Rice, 10 Everett street; William F. Clark (One Year), 21 Harlow street.

Precinct Two, John B. Calkin, 20 Melrose street; Arthur O. Davidson, 28 Magnolia street; Eugene F. Freeman, 18 Linwood street; William Haliburton, 9 Egerton road; Maude E. Hathaway, 9 Freeman street; Eddie C. Hopkins, 7 Randolph street; Frank H. Hopkins, 80 Orris road; Guy E. Jones, 100 Massachusetts avenue; James E. Norcross, 260 Massachusetts avenue; Stephen M. Richardson, 25 Alfred road; Jordan K. Silver, 51 Teel street; Norah H. Wetherbee, 22 Randolph street; George S. Drew (One Year), 23 Egerton road.

Precinct Three, Frances Ahern, 21 Webster street; Frank G. Brooks, 27 Wyman street; Frank E. Calahan, 83 Medford street; Gerald B. Dahill, 223 Broadway; Michael J. Donovan, 379 Massachusetts avenue; Charles Francis Ford, 16 Russell street; Michael A. Fredo, 9 Webster street; Thomas F. Good, 48 River street; Hollis M. Gott, 264 Broadway.

Precinct Four, Rufus W. Blake, 32 Lombard terrace; Frank A. Benham, 2 Oak Knoll; Howard L. Dargin, 41 Wyman terrace; Martin J. Gallagher, 140 Pleasant street; Rodney T. Hawdy, 38 Gray street; Roger W. Homer, 25 Addison street; Carolyn B. Reed, 11 Wellington street; Earl A. Ryden, 31 Ronold road; Grace D. Sawyer, 22 Kensington Park; Edith M. Storke, 45 Hopkins road; Frank A. Woodhead, 48 Irving street; A. Thomas, 24 Kensington road.

Precinct Five, Emily G. Alden, 61 Randolph road; Thomas S. Bonney, 21 Fairview avenue; Robert M. Boyd, 15 Ronald road.

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LAYMEN'S LEAGUE HOLD LADIES NIGHT

The Laymen's League of the First Parish Unitarian church, gave a complimentary dinner to the ladies of the parish, Friday evening of last week in the church vestry. The League provided for two hundred, but not all the places were taken at the tables, from which was served a turkey dinner topped off with ice cream and individual cakes. The dinner was chairmaned by Mr. David Buttrick, while the dining room was in charge of Dr. Stephen S. Merrill, who was assisted in the service by a group of young men connected with the parish.

After the dinner, Mr. Charles A. Hardy, president of the league, introduced Mr. S. L. Clark of Duxbury,

who told in a most interesting manner the methods he with others had used to increase church attendance and arouse interest in church work, especially among the boys in the community.

TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED TO MARCH 26th

The annual March town meeting stands adjourned from Monday, March 2, until Thursday, March 26, when the business of the warrant will be thrashed out. It is likely to take several adjournments before all the articles, 58, are disposed of. There are several articles that will, no doubt, bring out a good deal of discussion.

That hole in the rear of the "High school lot" is to be brought up again by the Park Commissioners. The Advocate is among those who feel that Spy Pond Athletic field is still adequate for school sports. The town has other needs that are more pressing than this just at the present time.

For instance, the Arlington District Nursing Association, which for years has been carrying on the work of supporting visiting nurses that have gone into the homes of hundreds of our townsmen, bringing comfort by their ministrations. This work has grown to such large proportions that it has become a great burden to the sixteen ladies who make up the efficient board, to finance this work, which is bringing untold relief to those who call for it.

More than ten of interested voters have caused to be printed in the warrant an article asking that the town appropriate \$1,000 or any other sum, for the employment of district or other nurses. The Advocate hopes that Town Meeting members will inform themselves on this subject, so that when the article comes up they can vote on it intelligently.

GIVE THEM THE TEST

The Salvation Army has been frequently victimized of late by unauthorized solicitors, who have pocketed money received. Col. McIntire desires us to say that owing to the large number of complaints which have reached me and in order to protect the public and the Salvation Army, I have furnished every official collector of the Salvation Army with an official pass which contains his photograph and a description of the territory in which he is to operate and which bears my signature.

The public have the remedy for this matter in their own hands. Make every solicitor show his pass.

ed before the committee. All expressed their views on the matter. There was no opposition.

Mr. Lombard said "Spy Pond is a stagnant body of water right in the heart of Arlington and the vegetable growth at the bottom of the pond presents a menace to canoeists who may be overturned." "This stagnation was caused by acts of the State and the State should bear the expense of clearing away this rank growth."

Hon. James A. Bailey was of the opinion that the State and the town of Arlington should bear the expense equally. Mr. Homer was very emphatically in favor of the passage of a bill to clear up the waters of the pond as was Mr. Forsyth.

This paper was the first to take up the subject of the conditions prevailing in Spy Pond during the summer months, and will hail with great pleasure any plan that will rid the pond of something that not only destroys the beauty of this lovely sheet of water, but is objectionable in every way.

LADIES AID GUEST NIGHT AND ANNUAL MEETING

Tuesday evening, March 3, the annual meeting and guest night of the Ladies Aid of the First Methodist Episcopal church was held with a large number attending. At 7 o'clock the business meeting occurred with Mrs. Frank Coglan, president, presiding, when reports were given.

The treasurer, Mrs. Weston Craig, announced that \$305 had been raised by the Blue Side and \$387 by the Red Side in addition to a large balance in the treasury. Since the Reds were victorious, the Blues will entertain them at a dinner to be given in April. Plans were made for a St. Patrick's party on March 17th. The officers elected were: Mrs. James Hamilton, president; Mrs. J. L. Seneca, vice-president; Mrs. Robina Campbell secretary and Mrs. Mae Stockbridge, treasurer. Mrs. Coglan the retiring president, introduced the new officers.

Following the meeting, the members adjourned to the lower part of the church, where the guests of the evening had assembled. The rooms were appropriately decorated in two shades of yellow in charge of a committee chairmaned by Mrs. Charles Cross. Mrs. Coglan introduced the new president who made a short address and presided during the program, which was delightfully given by Mrs. Robert S. Dinsmore, and Mr. Walter Joslin, soloists and Miss Irene Cross, readings. The pastor, Rev. H. T. Coontz, also spoke. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by a committee in charge of Mrs. Jewell B. Knight.

Mr. Settle is the son of the late Capt. J. A. Settle, U. S. A., and Mrs. Settle of Washington, D. C. He graduated from the Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1919 with honors. He served overseas during the late war and in 1924 took the M. S. degree at Harvard and is now a member of the staff aboard the Los Angeles at Lakehurst, New Jersey.

Miss Brackett attended Arlington High School. She is a graduate of Simmons College and is now in the Physics department at Harvard University, associated with Dr. Pierce and Dr. Chaffee.

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ANOTHER STEP FORWARD

On Monday a large number of towns in this Commonwealth held municipal elections. In a majority of them (and Arlington was included), for the first time in several decades the question, "Shall licenses for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages be granted in this town?" did not appear on the ballots. That it was placed on any ballots was without effect, as the law drawn to conform to the Volstead bill passed by Congress was accepted by popular vote last November and this has been confirmed by the present session of the Legislature.

This means that the banner of the forces that are still fighting the drink evil has been thrown a bit further in advance. As has been the case in recent years, the rank and file will ere long line up with the standard and as the millions of gallons of intoxicants seized from unlawful possessors is turned into streams that flow into old ocean instead of down human throats, that banner will again and again be advanced and more and more the hope of the original crusaders be realized.

THE EARTHQUAKES

After more than a century of quiet, compared with other sections of the country, the New England section of the United States experienced the shocks of the sliding, somewhere in the Atlantic Ocean, of the earth's surface, and we had here an earthquake that caused swaying of buildings, the stopping of clocks and other phenomena incident to these convulsions of nature. The effects of this sliding were experienced hundreds of miles inland, the quaking covering a considerable lapse in time.

The singular or at least peculiar character of this unusual event, was its intermittent effects. For instance, in Arlington the quaking was of a pronounced character, so much so that a large portion of the audience at the "Regent" fled the theatre by exit doors thrown open, while in Lexington, there were no signs of the quake; and this condition was the same near here and extending far westward.

Scientists who have given close study of Saturday's event and subsequent occurrences, tell us that in all probability in the not distant future, there will be another sliding of the earth's crust with another quake.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE
INAUGURATED

Last Wednesday Calvin Coolidge took the oath of office and for a second time became President of the United States of America. Some eighteen months ago, by candle light in the home of his father in Vermont, his hand resting on the old family Bible, Calvin Coolidge pledged himself to faithfully and impartially perform the duties of this high office that the death of President Harding made it imperative he should assume.

How complex and intricate those duties were the country quickly discovered. He found himself confronted by a Congress in many particulars antagonistic to the administration, and sure to pass at least two measures that he did not approve of. The newspapers filled with hints of scandals in their departments, and party loyalty apparently thrown into the discard. How he met his responsibilities and achieved success when failure seemed imminent, are matters of record and the appreciation of President Coolidge's courage in going forward in the performance of his duty regardless of consequences to self was shown last November in the size of the vote cast in his favor.

We have no way of judging of the future but by the past. Measured by that standard and estimated by recent occurrences, is it not safe to assume that under the leadership of our new President, with a Congress brought to think seriously by the verdict of the polls and the necessity of party fealty once more brought clearly to the front, that the

President's task in the future will be made easier than it has been, and that as a result the country will be better served.

WHY CANNOT ARLINGTON
HAVE A POST OFFICE BUILDING?

In last week's paper we said that a notice had been placed in the Post office announcing that the lease of the present location expires in July. That more commodious quarters are now required to meet the rapidly growing business of the office.

We are wondering why Arlington cannot have a Post-office building. She certainly is larger in population than many places that have had a building erected by Uncle Sam. Why not endeavor to bring this about? It would mean a good deal of work on the part of our representatives in Washington, also to arouse the interest of all our citizens in letting the administration feel that Arlington is the psychological place in which to locate a Post-office building. We understand Cambridge is trying for it. Why not Arlington?

Pertinent Opinions

February 26, 1925

My Dear Editor:

Rule 30 of the Traffic Regulations of the Town of Arlington reads as follows:

"No vehicle shall stop in such a way as to obstruct any street or crossing or within ten feet of a fire hydrant, street corner, electric car or pole stop, except in case of emergency or when directed to do so by a police officer."

Upon inquiry I find that this rule—certainly a wise and helpful one—is in force, notwithstanding the evidence to the contrary which is lightly presented in the very center of our town at a spot peculiarly unsuitable to a violation of the ordinance. I refer to the curb opposite the entrance to the passageway leading through the Old Post Office Block.

This is perhaps one of the busiest spots in the main part of the town, of an evening. Being in our "shopping district," many ladies, in numerous cases unattentive, have occasion to cross here. Practically nightly when they attempt to do so they come into the rear of an automobile which has been squeezed in, so that in order to gain the sidewalk from the street, they—or anyone else—are obliged to step over bumpers, edge their way between wheels and mud-guards and finally (Providence permitting) get through.

As a matter of fact the violation is two-fold. First of all this is a crossing, (though not paved); in the second place, it is an electric-car stop. I understand the violation of the ordinance carries with it a penalty of \$20, but this does not seem to be a serious deterrent.

Very sincerely,
ALFRED M. BACON.

Editor of the Advocate:

Who can explain how it happens that the auditorium of our beautiful town hall of which we are so justly proud, has remained unfinished in one respect?

For surely the ceiling lights, which are common, unfrosted bulbs attached to a plain cord, such as one would expect to find in a cellar or factory, cannot be the idea of any architect. Would it not be possible and advisable to install lighting fixtures in harmony with the superb ceiling which the present arrangements disfigure?

MARK S. DICKEY.
Arlington, Mar. 2, 1925.

FRIENDS OF THE DRAMA GIVE
AN INTERESTING EVENING

Thursday evening of last week, The Friends of the Drama held their meeting in the vestry of the Unitarian church, when a splendid program was presented, in charge of Mrs. William M. Hatch, who was the coach for the play entitled, "The Drama Class Tankaia," by Mary Aldis. Mrs. Hatch brought into the cast some new players, which gave an added interest, especially as they displayed not a little ability to act. These were Mrs. Harold Webb and Miss Marion Hilliard. The play gave opportunity for a good deal of clever reading of the lines and in the hands of the cast selected, it did not lack for interest. It was a play within a play. Those in the cast follow:

Mrs. Bennett Mrs. Llewellyn Evans
Minnie, the Maid Charlotte Boller
Mrs. Festus Mrs. George B. C. Brooks
Jonnie Mrs. Harold Webb
Mrs. Stedman Eleanor Homer
Mrs. Brookmores Mrs. George Bailey
Characters within the play:—

Paolo Mrs. Wallace Powers
Maddalena Mrs. George Yale
Maria Mrs. Wm. Brooks
Anna Mrs. Charles H. Hoxie

Light refreshments which were served at the close of the evening, were suggestive of Washington's birthday and the committee serving were dressed in the Martha Washington costume. They were Mrs. E. B. Harrington, Mrs. Oscar Schnettler, Mrs. Ralph Hunt, Mrs. John Berry, Mrs. Val T. Hanson.

The By-laws that had been revised by a special committee, chairmaned by Mrs. C. A. Dennett, were accepted during the business session, presided over by the president, Mrs. George Moody, with the exception of the one referring to the change in name of the organization. After considerable discussion, the matter was voted to be referred back to the board.

REWARD

For the return of a small brown suede purse lost Thursday evening, Jan. 29th, between Monroe School and Russell House or Russell House and 381 Mass. Avenue. Contains between \$26 and \$28 in bills and small change. Return to G. M. Miller, Lexington Junior High School.

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PATRONS OF THE REGENT
FELT THE EARTHQUAKE

Those who were at the Regent theatre on Saturday evening, of last week, were given a thrill not counted on, when the building began to sway sufficiently to be felt by those seated. Of course it was the earthquake, but this was not known until many had left the theatre, rising as they did, en masse when this strange sensation of seasickness suddenly came over them. A panic was averted by the cool headedness of someone who commanded the audience not to become excited and to leave the building quietly, which most people did, although many returned when nothing more alarming happened. It had been a strange sensation nevertheless.

One lady whose "better half" had been separated from her in the rush to leave the theatre, declared that she wouldn't leave the building without him. There was an example of devotion or was it fear of having to become the bread winner if calamity overtook him?

Some who left the building fearing it was about to collapse, showed little thought or judgment when they congregated just outside of the door at one of the rear exits to the theatre, where, if the building had fallen, it would have been an excellent place to have been caught under the debris. What strange things we will do and say under excitement is laughable after danger is passed.

That the quake was only in certain sections of the town was apparent from the reluctance of those who did not feel it, to believe the story of those who did.

At the police station the telephone was kept busy for some time after the quake with anxious residents asking where the explosion had been, or whether or not there had been an earthquake.

A TRUE ARTIST

It is the older residents of Arlington who remember Edward C. Litchfield, who founded the still going "Litchfield Studio" many years ago, but it was his remarkable skill as a photographer that gave the studio its first reputation. When Mr. Litchfield disposed of his business, selling it to Mr. Marshall, he removed to Berwick, Me., soon taking rank there as an artist of highest merit. This week we received a letter from Mr. Litchfield, in which he said "I now spend a good part of my summers making out-door pictures and in the winter months color them in either oil or water colors." * * * I am sending you a picture of Fowle's Pond, taken in August 1898, and colored in oils. We highly appreciate the courtesy for we consider it entitled to a place in Class A in pictures of this sort.

Mr. Litchfield also colors portraits, but most of his time is taken with the colored views. The Berwick News had the following to say of Mr. Litchfield in one of its recent issues:

"E. C. Litchfield, the photographer and artist, has been doing some very beautiful work in the way of coloring photographs in oil and water colors, producing some very attractive views, many of them in this and other sections of New Hampshire."

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex ss.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Emily G. Ramponi, late of Arlington, in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George F. Ramponi of Arlington in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-third day of March A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

As the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Arlington Advocate, a newspaper published in Arlington, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE F. LAWTON, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.
6mar3w CHARLES N. HARRIS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex ss.
WHEREAS, at a meeting of the County Commissioners for said County, at Cambridge on the first Tuesday of January A. D. 1925.

On the Petition of the Inhabitants of Lexington, praying for the relocation and specific repairs of Lowell Street from Woburn Street to the town line between Lexington and the Town of Burlington, it was adjudged that said street should be realigned and specific repairs are of common convenience and necessary.

Said Commissioners therefore give notice that they will meet at Commissioners' Office Court House in Cambridge on the third day of April, A. D. 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to regrade and direct specific repairs accordingly.

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Francis Gould W. R. C., 43 staged patriotic exercises of special significance on Thursday evening of last week in G. A. R. Hall. February annually brings the anniversaries of the birth of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. All who were present will agree that these anniversaries were most fittingly observed, teaching, as they did, a splendid lesson in patriotism with which the large audience present was thrilled in no small way.

Starting in the early afternoon, the ladies conducted their program in connection with the regular W. R. C. meeting. At this meeting comrades of the G. A. R. were special guests. President Lella Russell presided over this meeting and during the afternoon her sister members gave her quite a surprise in presenting her a handsome toilet set. Guests and speakers of this session were Mrs. Mabel M. Smith of Brighton, Department President of the W. R. C.; Mrs. Fannie E. Wheeler, Past Department President; Miss E. Caroline Pierce, town clerk; Representative Bert S. Currier; Comrade Farlington of Post 56 of Cambridge. It was an inspiring meeting and crowded the hours to almost supper time. A large committee, under the supervision of Mrs. Carolyn R. Morse, prepared the supper. This was a regulation W. R. C. supper that is surpassed by none.

The evening exercises were open to the public and the attendance was such as to tax the capacity of the hall. Comrades of the G. A. R., American Legion, Auxiliaries, Spanish War Veterans, Sons of Italy and Sons of Veterans were represented. The guests were formed in one of the anti-rooms and marched into the main hall where they were seated on the platform. The guests of the afternoon remained and participated in the evening session.

Mrs. Russell delivered the opening address of welcome and then turned the meeting over to Mrs. Catherine Finley. Representing the American Legion were Commander Fred Fallon, Sergeant-at-arms Charles Tynan, Adj't. Ellsworth Randall; Mrs. Daniel P. Barry, president, represented the American Legion Auxiliary; President Ralph D. Guarante represented the Sons of Italy; Frank Zeich the Spanish War Veterans; and Commander Chester Milliken the Sons of Veterans. Representing Post 36 were Past Department Commander Henry Clark; Past Department Commander Alfred H. Knowles, Past Department Patriotic Instructor Charles S. Parker.

One of the most prominent features of the evening's program was that presented by a group of children, trained and drilled by Miss Cleora Russell, grand-daughter of the late chaplain of Post 36. Miss Russell originated the drills and the little play that preceded it and she is deserving, as are the children who took part, of a great deal of praise for the work. The opening number was "A lesson in Patriotism," in which the spirit of patriotism is taught to a group of immigrant children with such effect that they at once grasp the spirit and show by their act that the pledge to the flag is something that they mean to live up to. This was followed by a really remarkable flag drill. Eleanor Bacon was the captain and the varying evolutions were made in response to whistles blown by her. The girls were dressed in uniform, each carried a flag and on each breast was pinned a letter. The varied movements culminated in a straight line, when it was seen that the letters now spelled Washington-Lincoln. The drummer was Mr. Merrill and the fifer, Mr. Stone. Miss Russell was presented with a bouquet of flowers from the children she had so splendidly drilled.

Those taking part in these two numbers were Ruth Blanchard, Barbara Hall, Doris McEwen, Esther Fitzgerald, Agnes Cunha, James Sullivan, Warren Russell, Ruth Lowe, Flora Bacon, Viola Dunk, Helen Barnes, Margaret Shreenan, Eleanor Dale, Katherine Clark, Mildred Cronin, Mary Belle, Marjorie Lowcock, and Ida Kenovitch. Warren Russell recited Lincoln's Gettysburg address.

The address of the evening was delivered by Charles S. Parker, past department patriotic instructor and present patriotic instructor of Post 36 G. A. R. His remarks were timely and in keeping with the occasion. Other speakers were Past Department Commanders Henry Clark and Alfred H. Knowles, the latter being at present head of the Loyal Legion; Department President, Mrs. Mabel Smith; Frank Zeich of the Spanish War Veterans; Fred Fallon of the Legion, Ralph D. Guarante of the Sons of Italy; Commander Milliken of the Sons of Veterans, and Mrs. Daniel P. Barry of the Legion Auxiliary.

A special attraction on the program, both afternoon and evening, was the section by comrades George H. Russell and Charles E. Storey of Post 15 of Boston. The former was a drummer boy in the Civil War and the latter was a fifer. Both played the same instruments that they carried during the four years they were in the service. Their numbers consisted of many of the old time tunes and that they were appreciated was very plain to be seen by the long applause of the audience.

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Ernest Hesselteine, Jr., and Homer Collins, dressed in old fashioned costume and high hats, took the tickets, while Mrs. Bertha Hall Smith in a lovely old fashioned dress over a hundred years old, distributed the programs, assisted by Mrs. Calvin Cook, who later sang in the chorus. Mrs. Cook made a typical old fashioned picture in dress, shawl and lace cap.

The singers made an interesting group as they walked down the aisle of the church to their seats on the platform. Most of the ladies wore a head covering, which added to the effective picture. Some lovely old shawls were noted while the Dolly Varden dress with hoop skirts, were much in evidence. Mr. Paul R. Bennett led the chorus which sang the usual old time songs. The solos were taken by different well known people connected with the parish, although perhaps not recognized by the name printed on the program, so for the sake of those interested in reading the names of those who did assist in making the evening of special interest, we give the soloists. They were Mrs. Homer Collins, Mrs. Albert B. Taylor, Mr. John Mathews, the latter principal of the Junior High school (center), Mrs. Sarah M. Powers, Mr. Wallace Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harwood, Mr. Bennett, Miss Margaret Yerrinton.

Mrs. Powers gave a most enjoyable reading, while Mr. Powers in his inimitable style, put over his special number. The duet by Mr. Powers and Mrs. Taylor was well acted out and brought forth an enthusiastic encore. Mr. Bennett contributed tenor solos finely sung, but it was Mr. Ernest Hesselteine who took the palm of the evening. His numbers was the opening of the second part of the program. Those present who could remember back to the time when Mr. Hesselteine, with the late Winfield Durgin and the late William Poole, as well as Mr. Herbert Pattee and others, made Arlington's Minstrel shows things worth seeing, were reminded that talent once possessed is never lost, for Mr. Hesselteine as "Old Black Joe," made the hit of the evening with his singing of the old time melodies acted out in his well known style, assisted by the full chorus that absented itself from the stage during his number. Mrs. Hesselteine was the accompanist of the evening and discharged her duty most acceptably. The program was enjoyed from the minute it opened until it closed with the singing of America, in which the audience joined. The program as printed follows:

"Auld Lang Syne"; "Cousin Jedediah"; "Betsy Deliverance Collins, Ye Bigge Choir"; "Strike Ye Gymbals"; "Polly Delight Taylor with Phineas Shadrach Matthews and Ye Bigge Choir"; "Declamation, Deliverance Sax-adotha Powers"; "Old Folks at Home"; "The Joyful Round"; "Bildad Harwood and Ye Bigge Choir"; "Ye Bigge Choir"; "Ye frivulous duette"; "Dost Thou Love Me, Sister Ruth"; "Polly Delight Taylor and Bel-magile Powers"; "Row, Row Your Boat"; "A foolish Round"; "Ye Bigge Choir"; "Ye Bigge Choir, with ye help of ye Anvils"; "Ye Anvil Chorus"; "Old Black Joe"; "Angel of Peace"; "Ye Bigge Choir"; "Ye Jolly Yankie Sleighride"; "Hannah Maria Harwood with Phineas Shadrach Matthews and Ye Bigge Choir"; "Solo, Adjonijah Peletier Bennett"; "Declamation, Bel-magile Powers"; "Grandmother's Advice"; "Patience Yerrinton"; "Scotland's Burning"; "Another foolish Round"; "Ye Bigge Choir"; "America."

GEORGE A. SMITH TELLS

OF HIS TRIP TO CHINA

There was a large attendance of the members of the Arlington Historical Society and friends in the vestry of the First Parish church, on Monday evening, drawn there to listen to an informal talk on China to be given by Mr. George A. Smith, a member of the society who, in company with his daughter, Miss Elizabeth, recently made a trip around the world on the steamship "Samaria," in company with others.

Mr. Smith illustrated his talk with lantern slides most of which pictures had been taken by him or his daughter, Miss Smith, who operated the lantern. The speaker confined his talk to interesting scenes taken in Hongkong, Shanghai and Canton. He had several carved ivory pieces of Chinese engaged in their chief vocations that were of interest, and for an hour and one half, spoke of the things that had interested him most in that part of their nearly four months absence from America.

During the business session that preceded the talk, the president, Judge James P. Parmenter, referred to the passing of Mrs. Lucy B. Smith and Frank H. Stiles, two of the members of the society. Several gifts to the society were announced. Mr. C. A. Hardy, the secretary and Mr. Franklin Wyman, were named by the president to represent the society on the committee of the Board of Trade is interested in securing to represent every organization in the town to consider a suitable memorial to the boys of Arlington, who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War.

Mrs. George Winn announced that \$54.00 was realized from the recent card party held in the Jason Russell house, the object of which was to raise money to purchase dishes to be used by the society. It was also announced that the Colonial ball will be held on April 17th, in Town Hall.

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BOARD OF TRADE MEETING

(Continued from Page 1)

state at the close of the year. Of interest to the members was a list of complaints, read by the chief, which showed some of the things that an officer does in addition to his regular duties. This was news to many of the members. Chief Urquhart spoke of the difficulty of getting men for his department. Nowadays it is not a prizefighter or bully that is wanted, but a man who has keen mind. The police is now a profession, not a job, as the list of complaints attended during the year will show. The speaker gave a brief outline of the examination required by the civil service for police officers. Chief Urquhart stated that to his mind, his department is the most important in the town, for it deals with personal liberty. The chief told how his department is split up into platoons and by the use of maps showed just how the town is patrolled during the day and night. More men are needed. The chief feels that the town has held back too long. Under the law which gives the men one day off in eight, there are absences which cannot be avoided. The chief stated that people are calling up constantly for officers to take care of the traffic situation. In closing, the chief asked the members to drop into the station once in a while, make themselves known to the officers in charge and see how the department is being run. Everything is an open book there and he would welcome visitors to the station at any time. The chief outlined a number of ways that citizens can help the department. If anyone sees a suspicious person about their place, telephone at once the police. Ninety-nine times the person may be all right, but the 100th they may get a "bad actor."

The last speaker was Prof. Alexander H. Rice, chairman of the School committee, who spoke on the schools of the town. Mr. Rice's remarks were extremely interesting and to the point and the members were given a better idea as to the conducting of our school business than they were aware of before. Mr. Rice, after saying that the school committee is made up of nine members, told of how it is divided up into sub-committees and explained the work of each. The speaker noted that the better the committee do its work, the better the schools and less perplexing will be the work of the police or Selectmen. In showing the school population of the town, Prof. Rice stated that in the High School there are 639 students; Junior High Center 503; Junior High West 372; Crosby 910; Locke 521; Cutler 471; Parmenter 187 and Russell 390, making a total of 4211. The High school has the largest population of a high school in any town in the state, except Brookline, and the highest in 14 cities of this Commonwealth, except Brookline. The problems of the housing of this vast population is perplexing. It is sure to grow and with it grow the expenditures. We must pay the price. Prof. Rice dwelt at some length on the complaints that have been heard that our schools are inadequate. Every community has the same complaint. To keep the schools up to their present high standard, Arlington has a problem. The complaint has been heard that our schools do not fit the student for further advancement. To refute this, Prof. Rice showed that in the past two years, 69 graduates of the High school, had taken examinations either for college or normal school and out of this number only three had failed to pass. Prof. Rice felt certain that had these three applied themselves to their studies, they too would have passed. This failure should not be charged to the school department of the town, but rather to the pupil. Prof. Rice took up the much talked of matter: That private schools are better than the public schools. He had gone into this subject very deeply. He told of a friend who had taken his boy out of the public school and sent him to a private school. The friend's reason was that nothing more or less than snobbishness had been his reason. Prof. Rice stated that perhaps a pupil may master his studies better in the private school, for there he is restricted to certain hours of the day when he is compelled to study. This is why he gets his lessons. On the other hand, the student who attends the public school is put on his honor to study. He is only a few hours under the control of his teacher. After that he is left to the dictates of his ambition or conscience or to the supervision of his parents. It is up to both to co-operate. The success or failure of a pupil is in his own hands. In the public school. Prof. Rice urged that parents take more interest in school matters which cannot help but be an advantage to pupil, teacher and every one concerned in the education of our children, who are to be the future citizens of our town.

The informal talks given by the men who represent three important factors in our town government made an evening well spent.

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One of the first messages received was to the effect that overhanging clouds had disappeared, that the sun was shining clear and bright; that with moderated temperature, it was proving an ideal spring day.

The business on Wednesday related wholly to the entertainment to be staged next week.

TRIBUTE TO REV J. G. TAYLOR

The Boston Globe of Monday evening, March 2, ran a story relative to Rev. John G. Taylor's of Arlington, fifty years in the ministry, together with a picture featuring Mr. Taylor and Rev. Henry J. Kilbourne, D. D., the latter president of the Congregational Ministers' Club.

The story was written by Miss Corinne M. Danforth of 16 Devereux street, niece of Charles Grossmith, the druggist. She is on the editorial staff of the Globe and since becoming a newspaper woman has done some splendid special feature stories for that paper.

It will be remembered perhaps by our readers, that the Advocate reported the 80th birthday of Mr. Taylor, which occurred some months ago, also a portion of the address Mr. Taylor gave at Park Avenue Congregational on his completion of fifty years in the ministry. This was the address which he repeated at a meeting of the ministers club in Boston entitled "Then and Now, or Fifty years Observation in the Congregational Ministry." At the time Mr. Taylor gave the address at the Arlington Heights church of which he is the pastor emeritus, Rev. Harold L. Stratton, who is now the minister of the church, paid a wonderful tribute to Mr. Taylor, which Miss Danforth used in her story. He said that the members of his church love Mr. Taylor, especially do the younger members love him. "He is younger in a bigger right than we are in years," said Rev. Mr. Stratton. "He has been more of a help to the boys than he probably realizes. They have felt so welcome to talk things over with him. He has opened to them great outlooks."

His fellow ministers were most appreciative of his address and flooded the platform after its reading, to express to Mr. Taylor their appreciation and love for him. His optimistic views along religious as well as social lines make one realize that Mr. Taylor has lived with an open mind that makes him a delightful companion to all ages and people in all walks in life. It is good to have lived so well that this can be said of one, and the article referred to clearly brought out this fact.

In concluding the article the writer quoted the following, as to what modern thought has done as expressed by Mr. Taylor.

"While modern thought has nudged Jesus of deity and of divinity in this sense, it has cheerfully accorded Him the first place, the highest niche in the hall of fame, for religious geniuses and the fullest disclosure of God in the race and perhaps the most consummate teacher yet known to the race.

"The disagreements as to the person of Jesus will grow less and less, if the past 50 years mean anything, and the church will proclaim Him as the greatest religious leader of the ages and the fullest embodiment of God in human nature. He will not be thought of as a visitor to the race for high and holy purposes standing alone yet among men. He will be one of the many brethren—but chief.

"Theology was the queen of sciences in my day.

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"Our fathers believed in a God as real as the tree in the garden. Teachers nowadays do not define God as you define a steamship, but seek to discover the philosophy of the cosmos.

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"Who believes that the grace of God is checkmated or limited or withheld except by the unwillingness of man to receive it? Who believes that some are elected for Heaven and some for Hell? Who believes that the opportunity for repentance for sin is ever withdrawn? Who believes that the world is to end in a catastrophic display? Some, perhaps? The tenets which were written large in our note books 50 years ago, if not confessed, would seriously jeopardize, if not prevent ordination to the ministry.

"In these degenerate days a candidate for ordination or installation, forgets theology, the great beliefs on which creation hung and devotes himself to the social gospel and the organization of the church and the Kingdom of God and religious education, especially on its attractive side and the movies as a method of baiting sinners and saints.

"Have required trembling candidates for church membership to solemnly affirm their belief in creeds which would not now be given standing room in any self-respecting church.

"The beliefs which occupied the footlights in those days are thrown into the rubbish rooms, many of them, and the ministers are either dead or relegated to desuetude. Not in the Congregational Churches alone for the same tide has overtaken all the denominations."

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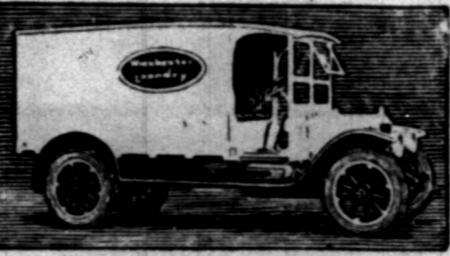
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TOWN ADVERTISING

TOWN OF ARLINGTON
BUILDINGS FOR SALE

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Selectmen at its office in the Town Hall, Arlington, Mass., until eight o'clock P. M. Monday, March 9, 1925, for the purchase and removal of all or any of the buildings situated on the premises situated at 54 Lake Street, known as the Truse site, consisting of a single family house and a barn. Said buildings are to be removed and said premises left free and clear of all rubbish on or before April 15, 1925.

Each proposal must be signed by the bidder with his address, and must be accompanied by a certified check for two hundred fifty (250) dollars, payable to the order of the Town of Arlington, such check to be returned to the bidder unless forfeited as herein stipulated.

The person whose proposal may be accepted will be required to appear at said office and execute a contract satisfactory to the Board within five days from the date of mailing of notice to the bidder that such contract is ready for signature, and in case of his failure or neglect so to do, the said Board may, at its option determine that the proposal and acceptance shall be null and void, and in such case the check accompanying the proposal shall be forfeited to the Town.

A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in such sum as will be fixed by the Board after the bids are opened, such sum to be not more than one-half the amount of the proposal.

The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals or to accept the portion of any proposal relating to any or all of said buildings, as said Board shall deem best for the Town. Attention is particularly called to the time for completion of removal.

Persons desiring to enter and inspect the buildings may do so by appointment with Mr. William Gratto, Building Inspector.

NELSON B. CROSBY,
CHARLES B. DEVEREAUX,
FREDERICK W. HILL,
Selectmen of the Town of Arlington
27Feb25

GARAGE HEARINGS

All persons interested in the following petitions will meet in the Selectmen's Room, Town Hall, Arlington, Friday, March 20, 1925, at the time set.

7.30 P. M. Hearing on the application of Fred L. Balles for a license to locate and maintain a two-car garage of second-class construction at 42 Magnolia street, Arlington.

7.36 P. M. Hearing on the application of Edward J. Shay for a license to locate and maintain a two-car garage of second-class construction at 145 Medford street, Arlington.

7.39 P. M. Hearing on the application of Claude Gott for a license to locate and maintain a one-car garage of second-class construction at 177 Wachusett avenue, Arlington.

7.42 P. M. Hearing on the application of George E. Hill for a license to locate and maintain a one-car garage of first-class construction under the sun porch of house located at 199 Pleasant street, Arlington.

7.45 P. M. Hearing on the application of George E. Hill for a license to locate and maintain a one-car garage of first-class construction under the sun porch of house located at 201 Pleasant street, Arlington.

7.48 P. M. Hearing on the application of Fred L. Balles for a license to locate and maintain a one-car garage of second-class construction at 21 Kinsley road, Arlington.

7.51 P. M. Hearing on the application of James O. Conlin for a license to locate and maintain a two-car garage of second-class construction at 16 Sherborn street, Arlington.

7.54 P. M. Hearing on the application of A. Clifford Hudson for a license to locate and maintain a two-car garage of second-class construction at 63 Maynard street, Arlington.

7.57 P. M. Hearing on the application of Malco MacLeod for a license to locate and maintain a two-car garage of first or second-class construction at 186 Medford street, Arlington.

8.00 P. M. Hearing on the application of Frank M. Dempsey for a license to locate and maintain a two-car garage of second-class construction at 61 Newell road, Arlington.

8.06 P. M. Hearing on the application of Anthony W. Vogel for a license to locate and maintain a two-car garage of first-class construction at Lot 153 Thorndike street, Arlington.

8.15 P. M. Hearing on the application of Elizabeth Nixon for a license to locate and maintain a two-car garage of first or second-class construction at 21 Marathon street, Arlington.

Per order of the LICENSING COMMISSION, John A. Easton, Clerk.

SPECIAL NOTICE

All persons interested in the following petitions will meet in the Selectmen's Room, Town Hall, Arlington, Monday, March 23, 1925, at the time set.

8. P. M. Hearing on the application of Ralph C. Gross in accordance with the provisions of Section 16 of the Town's Zoning By-Law for permission of the Selectmen to construct a two-family house at lot 51 Palmer street nearer the street line than is permitted in Section 12, Paragraph B of the said Zoning By-Law.

8.05 P. M. Hearing on the application of Ralph A. Crosby, in accordance with the provisions of Section 16 of the Town's Zoning By-Law for permission of the Selectmen to construct a two-family house at lot 51 Palmer street nearer the street line than is permitted in Section 12, Paragraph B of the said Zoning By-Law.

8.05 P. M. Hearing on the application of Ralph A. Crosby, in accordance with the provisions of Section 16 of the Town's Zoning By-Law for permission of the Selectmen to construct a two-family house at lot 51 Palmer street nearer the street line than is permitted in Section 12, Paragraph B of the said Zoning By-Law.

To amend the first paragraph of Article IV of said By-Laws by substituting a period for a comma after the word "stock" and striking out the remainder of said paragraph, so that said paragraph shall read as follows:

"Subject to the qualifications hereinafter set forth, any person may become a shareholder by subscribing for not less than one nor more than forty shares of the capital stock."

To amend Article XIV of said By-Laws by striking out the last two sentences thereof, so that said article as amended shall read as follows:

ARTICLE XIV.

"METHOD OF LOANING FUNDS. At each monthly meeting for the receipt of monies, the President, or some person designated by him, shall offer the loan of the funds to such person or persons as shall bid the highest rate of annual interest therefor."

WILLIAM G. BOTT, Clerk

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

Mrs. George Hoffman is confined to her home with a severe cold.

Mrs. M. A. Salter of Westmoreland avenue is a patient at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

The monthly business meeting of the Women's Society of the Heights Baptist church was held on Tuesday afternoon at the church.

Next Tuesday a bridge will be given by the Arlington Heights Study Club at Hambury Hall, the proceeds of which will be used for the Scholarship Fund of the Club.

Mrs. R. L. Austin of Lowell street, gave a luncheon at her home on Monday noon, the proceeds being given to the Blue side of the Ladies Aid of the First M. E. Church.

Helen Gertrude Cook of Arlington Heights and Howard C. Sander son of Nashua, N. H., were united in marriage by Rev. Harold L. Stratton on Thursday, Feb. 26th.

Mrs. S. Bruce Black, who has been a patient at the New England Baptist hospital, returned to her home today, Friday. It will no doubt be a few weeks more before Mrs. Black will be able to resume her former activities.

Jeanne Pure of 200 Chambers street, Boston and Harry A. Goodman of 138 Sylvia street, Arlington Heights were married on Sunday, March 1st at 12 Berkley street, Roxbury. Rabbi David M. Rabinovitz of 117 Chambers street, Boston, performed the ceremony.

The County Chairman has a character of Sassafras Livingstone, made famous by the old time minstrel, Willie Sweatman. Mr. Partridge, besides directing the production, has been prevailed upon to play this part, and as his appearances are all together too rare, a treat is in store.

This afternoon, Friday, March 6th, the Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church will hold the annual meeting and mite-box opening at the church, at 2 o'clock. The speaker of the afternoon will be Mrs. Morgan, of the Dover Street Mission, Boston. A silver tea will be held at the close of the meeting.

A luncheon was given in honor of Mrs. Norman F. Coolbrith of Wallingford by Mrs. Herbert Cathcart, at her home, 15 Lanark terrace on Wednesday, March 4th. Covers were laid for eight. Jonquils were the decorating scheme. Following the luncheon, a pleasant afternoon was spent in a social good time and music.

Russell D. Curry of Appleton street, entertained the members of the dancing class of which he is a member, with a party on Friday afternoon, February 27th in celebration of his ninth birthday at Associate Hall in connection with the regular lesson. Orchid sweet peas and candles afforded the color scheme. A large birthday cake with candles was cut and served during refreshments. Caps and other novelties were the favors to the guests.

Mrs. J. J. Rowlands of 39 Linden street, entertained at her home on Saturday evening, Feb. 28th with bridge and dancing. Yellow decorations carried out with jonquils and candles were in evidence in the rooms where the guests were entertained.

Five tables were played and the first ladies prize was awarded to Mrs. George Cooper and the first gentlemen's was taken by Mr. Benjamin T. Hickey. Mrs. Russell Dean, of Cambridge won the consolation. Dainty refreshments of salads, ices and fancy cakes were served from the tables and the latter part of the evening was spent with dancing.

The Sunshine Club was entertained at their regular business and social meeting on Wednesday, Mar. 4th, at the home of Mrs. O. B. Vinal, Appleton street with Mrs. B. F. Hickey and Mrs. Frank Biggs assisting hostesses. During the business meeting the nominating committee was appointed with Mrs. H. J. Anderson as chairman and Mrs. J. Anderson as chairman and Mrs. F. O. Bartlett and Mrs. O. B. Vinal.

The two guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Roger W. Homer, president of the Arlington District Nursing Association, who gave an interesting account of what the association is doing in Arlington, and Mrs. Edmund Byram, State President of the Sunshine Clubs, who also gave a short talk on her activities during the past year in state Sunshine work. A social hour followed, when refreshments were enjoyed.

LEGION NOTES

Once again we are going to request that any person having information regarding any resident of Arlington who died in the service of the United States or her allies, or Germany during the World War or since the war, please communicate their information to Arlington Post No. 39, The American Legion, at once. It is a duty that we owe to the ones who passed on, that we preserve their memory and their deeds and records.

Whew—But that was a corking good feed we had in Grand Army Hall Thursday, March 5th. Past Commander Riley, "Grand Chef" of our Post certainly turned out a mighty good turkey supper and he and his committee should be complimented. Also State Commander Harlow, Senior Vice Commander Good, State Adjutant Haverty, County Council Commander White, Past County Commander Quinn, and as usual our Comrades of the Grand Army, honored us by their presence. More comrades of the Post attended than we expected but we provided for them all at that. Everyone enjoyed themselves immensely and good-fellowship was predominant.

Don't forget our next regular meeting at Post Headquarters, 661 Mass. avenue, Arlington, on Tuesday evening, March 10th, 1925. Eats as usual and a good time for all is promised. The band wagon is on its way.

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

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Adjutant, Arlington Post No. 39.

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In last week's paper the Advocate

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country, some who have made the

supreme sacrifice and for others who

have not.

The idea of such a memorial must

appeal to all and the amount asked

of Arlington is a very modest sum.

Only two hundred fifty dollars is asked

of this town, and on

the day named will, as the program

unfolds, call attention sharply to the

important part Menotomy (now Arlington) played in the events of April

19, 1775, that have gone down in

history under the proper title "Battle

of Lexington."

We write this as a sort of fore-

word to, if possible, awaken increased

interest in the event to be cele-

brated on Monday, April 20th (the

19th being Sunday) namely the 150th

anniversary of the day that all now

know was "the dawn of liberty,"

the first of the important events that

have made America what she today

is. Appreciate the heritage that we

children's children, lest they forget.

COUPE LOST WHEEL

A Ford coupe, driven by U. C. Lo-

cascio, a salesman for the A. W. Has-

tings Co., of Somerville, lost a left

hind wheel yesterday morning on

Broadway, near the Soldier's Monu-

ment, when it was hit by an enclosed,

Ford truck, owned and operated by

Rosario Oppedisano of 75 Decatur

street, Arlington. The driver of the

coupe claims he was backing prepara-

to turning around, and that

evidently Oppedisano thought he

had plenty of room to pass. Locascio

says he stopped his car on seeing the

truck. Officer Burns was on hand

and took the necessary information

regarding the accident.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL CENTER

INTER-CLASS BASKETBALL

Inter-class basketball games were

held Tuesday, March 2nd in the Old

Town Hall at 1 o'clock. The A and

B divisions of each year took part.

The A division of the third year beat

The B division by a score of 17 to 12.

The second year A division lost to

the B division by a score of 10 to 3

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Theodore C. Mortensen, late of Arlington, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, had been presented to said Court, for Probate by John Mortensen, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of March A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation in the *Arlington Advocate*, a newspaper published in Arlington, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE F. LAWTON, Esquire, *Plaintiff in the above suit*, this nineteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

28feb3w CHARLES N. HARRIS, Register

SHERIFF'S SALE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss. February 9, A. D. 1925

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction, on Wednesday the twenty-fifth day of March A. D. 1925, at one o'clock P. M., at my office, 20 Second Street in Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that Mary Alice Marshall of Lexington in said county of Middlesex, had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the twenty-fifth day of October A. D. 1923 at nine o'clock A. M., being the time when the same was attached on mesne process in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

Two certain lots or parcels of land situated on Bullitt Avenue, Lexington, Massachusetts, being lots 521 and 522 as shown on plan of lots at Liberty Heights, belonging to J. W. Wilbur, said plan being made by A. L. Eliot, dated November 19, 1909, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds book of plans 182, plan 41. Said lots measure 30 feet in width by 100 feet in depth, and each contains, according to said plan, more than 3000 square feet or less; together with in fee so far as the grantor has the right to convey the same on any streets and ways shown on said plan.

SAMUEL W. TUCKER,
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SPORTS

CENTER JUNIOR HIGH
GIRLS BASKETBALL NOTES

Monday, March the 2nd, the Center Girls defeated the Northern Junior High of Waltham, 26-18. The fine work of the Center Girls made it an easy victory. The Waltham Girls were good at passing, but the Center Team did some unusually good guarding. Miss Catherine Lane of Center was star for her team, making 10 baskets.

The line-up was as follows:

WALTHAM CENTER
Dorothy Howell jc..... jc Katherine Hardy
Peterson, Eleanor Childs sec..... sc Robert Bailey, Anita Andres
Frances Cook lg..... lg Dorothy Hilliard
Louise Carney rg..... rg Ruth Cannell
Eleanor Childs fw..... fw Anna Moreau
Louise Underhill fw..... fw Marjorie Cannell
Marion Evans rfw..... rfw Catherine Lane

BOWLING NOTES

The Town Bowling League has now reached a very interesting stage for there is little difference in the standing of the teams. The Elks still hold onto top place, but for the past three weeks they have been slowly but surely dropping their big lead. Now this team has only a one point lead over the Knights of Columbus team, the latter having made a great spurt of late and giving good account of themselves. In the matches rolled Thursday evening, Feb. 26 on the Arlington Alleys, the Town team took all four points from the Elks team and the K. of C. and the Regent Alley team split even. This leaves the standing as follows: Elks 39 games; Knights of Columbus 37; Town Team 32 and Regent Alley 31. In the matches last Thursday, Hector Hawke of the Regent Alley team was the high roller, his single of 127 and three string for 335 being the best for the night.

The second half of the Community Club of Arlington Bowling League is now well under way. The teams are working hard for the top place in the league. Last Friday evening, Feb. 27, Team E won all four points from Team B; Team A won three from Team F; and Team C won three from Team D. The race for supremacy in the high scoring line fell between President Woodbine, who rolls on Team D, and Whitcomb of Team C. Each rolled 300 for a total but Woodbine won the high single honors with 113, although Benway of Team A was a close second with 110.

There are only two more matches to be rolled in the Union Church bowling league series. It now looks promising for the Calvary Methodist Church team to win the championship. The matches rolled on Monday evening in the Arlington Alleys strengthened the hold of this team on first place, for it took four points from Team B of the Church of Our Saviour (Episcopal). The Heights Methodist Church team, by splitting even with the Church of Our Saviour, Team A, still holds out in second place and have a good chance of being in that place when the league closes which will be in two more weeks. Giles of the Davis team of the Heights Baptist Church was the high three string man with 304, and O'Brien of Calvary Methodist Church team was the high single string man with 113. The matches resulted as follows:—Heights Methodist Church and Team A of Calvary Methodist Church split even; A. F. G. Brotherhood of the Heights Baptist Church won three from the Heights Congregational; Davis Team of the Heights Baptist Church won four from the Heights Baptist regulars and Calvary Methodist won four points from Team B of the Church of Our Saviour.

The bowling team of the Middlesex Sportsman's Association sprang a surprise in the Amateur Boston Pin League series Monday evening, when the team jumped into a tie with the Medford club for first place. The latter club was looked on as the possible winner for on Monday it was rolling the tail-end team in the league. However, the tail-enders beat the top place men, while M. S. A. won all four of its matches, so the tie resulted. The games throughout the season have been close with the M. S. A. team around top place. The league closed on Monday evening. To roll off the tie, there will be a special match this (Friday) evening between Medford and M. S. A. at the Cottage Park Yacht Club Alleys. This will be a battle royal for both teams are evenly matched and keyed for the contest.

SPORTS COMMENT

The school vacation period of last week made athletics a little shy but with the reopening of the schools this week the activities will get under way again.

A large number from this town attended the triangular meet in Mechanics Hall Saturday evening. Charles Collins of this town, newly elected captain of the Dartmouth Track team, ran in the mile and finished third. Collins held the lead in this grind for seven laps, when Cornell took the lead and Harvard took second position, the runners finishing in that rotation. Collins ran a fine race. The battle for supremacy was a bitter one.

Jack Foster of this town has had another honor conferred on him at Exeter. Jack, who is a product of Arlington High, is not only captain of the football team and the ice hockey teams, but now has been made president of his class.

The High school ice hockey team is through for the season and Coach William Barry has disbanded his team. All but one of the team of this season will be available next season so that the prospects are rather bright for another year. Arlington was nosed out in a red hot game for

a place in the Interscholastic League.

Ralph C. Henricus, director of athletics in the schools of the town, is trying to arrange some fast games for the remainder of the season of the basketball players. In all probability, the Boston College High school team will be the opponent this (Friday) evening in High school gymnasium.

The return of the cold weather the first of the week put a stop to the outdoor practice of the baseball candidates.

ARLINGTON BOY SCOUTS

Since January 1, these new scouts have been registered: Troop 1—Carl H. Anderson; 6, Weston Ogilvie; 8, Edwin Brainard and Frederick P. Pond; 9, Everett Clark and Charles H. Connell; 11, William E. Curley Raymond L. Fowler, Woodrow Fowler, Fred Johnson, Garnet Lerett, Robert Wharton, John Witthohn, James Wooding and William Wooding; 4, Wilbur Taylor.

At the Court of Honor, January 15, Second Class tests were passed by Stanley Julian, Troop 1; William Tainter, 6; and Carl Johnson, 11.

First Class tests were passed by Russell Snow, 8; Lawrence Winchester, 9.

Merit Badges were passed as follows by Robert Sproul, Troop 1; Safety First, Pioneering and Handicraft—Life & Star; Kenneth Draper, 2, Surveying; Robert E. Stoddard, 6, Masonry; Walter H. Taft, Jr., 6, Machinery, Surveying, and Signaling; H. Allen Perry, 8, Camping, Pathfinding; Leslie Foster, 9, Swimming, Carpentry; William Connell, 9, Swimming, Life Saving; Lawrence Winchester, 9, Carpentry.

At the Court of Honor, February 19, Second Class tests were passed by Richard Danskin, Troop 1; Henry Jones, 2; Albert George, 2; and Clarence Alexander, 4.

Merit Badges were passed by George Chalmers, Troop 2, First Aid and Public Health; Kenneth Draper, 2, Interpreting; Charles H. Peirce, 3, Swimming, Interpreting and Camping; Melvin J. Washburn, 3, Craftsmanship, Electricity, Carpentry, Public Health, Personal Health and Firemanship; H. Allen Perry, 8, Agriculture, First Aid to Animals and Music; Richard N. Sanger, 8, Craftsmanship; D. Richard French, 8, Craftsmanship and Carpentry; Harry E. McCann, 8, Music; George Twombly, 8, Swimming; Russell Snow, 8, Swimming; William Connell, 9, Handicraft, Music, Personal Health, First Aid, Public Health, Firemanship and Carpentry; Leslie Foster, 9, Public Health, Personal Health, Firemanship, First Aid, Handicraft, Craftsmanship; Lawrence Winchester, 9, Athletics, Craftsmanship, Handicraft, Public Health, Personal Health, Firemanship, Swimming and First Aid.

MIDDLESEX SPORTSMAN'S ASS'N

Coming Events

The Middlesex Sportsman's Association has much in store for the members this month. Last evening in the club house Prof. Richard Davis entertained with tricks of magic. Prof. Davis is well known to the members of the club. This (Friday) evening there will be a public rehearsal of the M. S. A. band at the club house and the ladies are invited to come down and hear the band. March 31 the smoker is in charge of McReavey and his assistants and on April 7 Capt. Dan McKay is to deliver a lecture. Keep these dates open for the events planned are sure to interest the membership at large.

ST. JAMES THEATRE

"Pollyanna," the "glad play," dramatized by Catherine Chisholm Cushing from the popular novel by the late Eleanor H. Porter, will be presented next week by the Boston Stock Company at the St. James Theatre. The story is a familiar one, telling how Pollyanna, a little orphan comes to live with her stern and aristocratic aunt in a New England village and through her "glad philosophy" of life succeeds in changing the lives of all with whom she comes in contact. Elsie Hitz, talented leading lady of the company will play "Pollyanna," the role originally essayed by Patricia Collinge; Anna Layng and Louis Leon Hall will be seen as "Polly Harrington" (Pollyanna's aunt) and Doctor Chilton, roles first played by Elsie Shannon and the late Herbert Kelcey. Bernard Nedell is cast as "John Pendleton;" and Houston Richards as "Jimmie Bean" (Glenn Hunter originally had this role). Director Godfrey has cast the remainder of the company exceptionally well.

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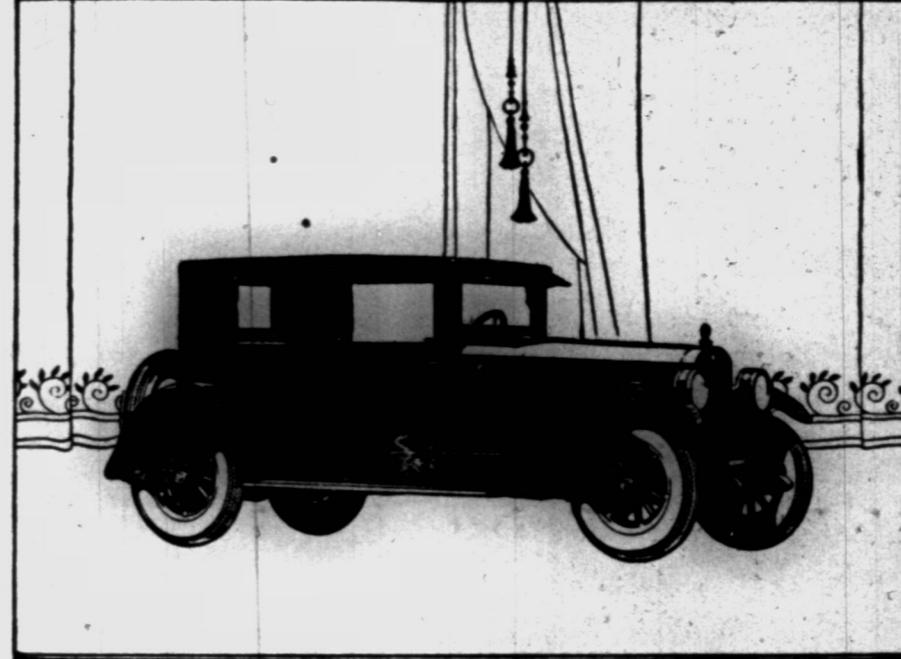
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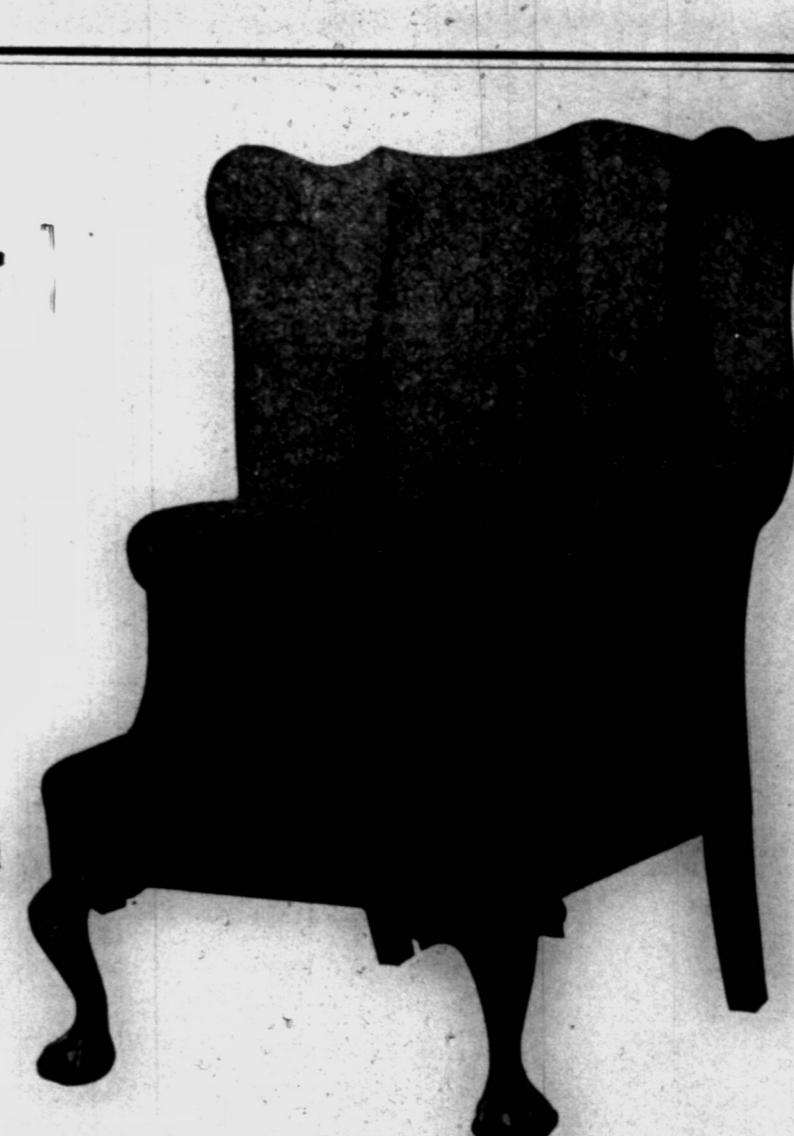
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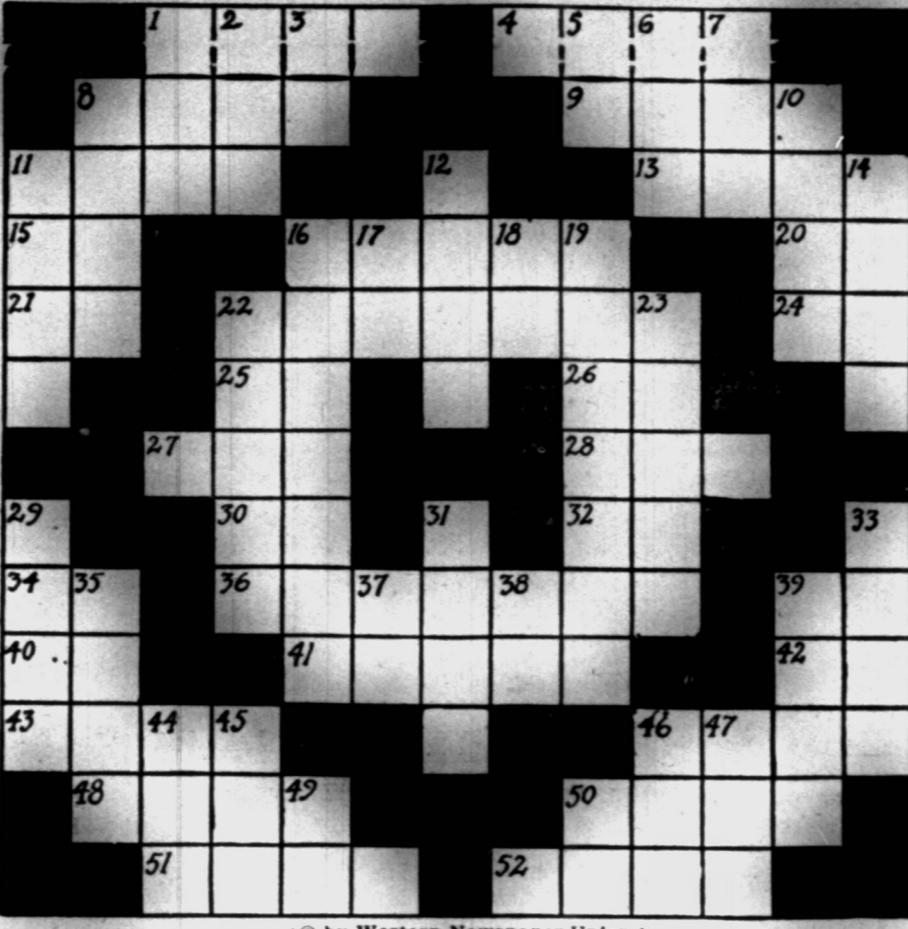
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Horizontal.

- Legend
- To strip off
- Equal
- Performs
- Bombastic in talk
- Not any
- Like
- Had affection for
- By or near
- Impersonal pronoun
- Addition to a will
- Proceed
- Indefinite article
- Association (abbr.)
- Denoting legal combination (abbr.)
- Attempt
- Initials of a continent
- Measure of area
- Like
- Eagerness
- Thus
- New England state (abbr.)
- Select body
- Boy's nickname
- Boy's plaything
- Buffet
- Game
- Drill
- Swirl
- Eastern state (abbr.)

Vertical.

- Personal pronoun
- Still
- President with a famous grin
- Boy's name
- Indefinite age
- Sign of the zodiac
- Before now
- Broken tooth
- Invade
- Smile
- English college
- Hollow
- Prefix expressing direction toward
- Course of study (slang)
- Deliver a command
- Flower
- Motor truck
- A ridge of earth
- Direct a magazine
- Outdoor game
- Boat
- Prefix meaning not
- Impersonal pronoun
- Container for valuables
- Digit
- Age
- Pore over
- Large vase
- Imaginary force
- Exist

The solution will appear in next issue.

ARLINGTON LOCALS

—There will be an entertainment in Robbins Memorial Town Hall for the benefit of St. Agnes church school on March 17.

—Mrs. Percy R. Moody of 19 Windemere park entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Morrison and son, Joe, of Portland, Maine last week.

—Mrs. S. H. McEwen of Park terrace is convalescing from a recent operation on the throat performed on Saturday, Feb. 28th, at the Mass. General Hospital.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Lawson are spending a brief time at New Orleans. Previous to going south they were at their summer home in Maine for a day or two.

—Mr. L. E. A. Smith has purchased the residence formerly owned by the late Charles T. Hartwell at 792 Massachusetts avenue, and will make it his home after June 1st.

—The County Chairman will have James Doughty in his most congenial part, and with Miss Miriam Hendricks as a team-worker some very droll and humorous scenes are afforded their listeners.

—Thomas Ruble, who for the past two years has been manager of the local Liggett store, has been transferred to the Copley Square store. T. W. Hanley has been assigned as manager of the local store.

—The rehearsals for the Knights of Columbus minstrel show will start next Monday evening in K. of C. Hall. All young ladies and gentlemen who are interested are invited to attend this opening rehearsal.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Dorrington sympathize with them in the death of their baby, Barbara, on Thursday of last week, at their home, 15 Whittemore street. Barbara was three months and 26 days old.

—The monthly meeting of the Holy Name Society of St. Agnes Church will be held in the church next Sunday evening. This (Friday) evening in St. Agnes Church, there will be Devotions of the Holy Hour. A special musical program will be presented by the choir.

—John J. Nolan, a widely known instructor, has been selected to have charge of the Knights of Columbus show that is to be presented in Robbins Memorial Town Hall, on the evenings of April 27 and 28. It will take the form of a special musical comedy and minstrel show combined, something different from other shows given here.

—Mrs. Peter Schwamb, who with her husband, Prof. Schwamb and daughter, are at Torpon Springs, Florida, writes that the warm days are making it possible for her, who before leaving for the south, had been quite ill, to sit out in the sunshiny and among the orange trees, the latter of which afford her keen pleasure. The fruit is now at its prime.

—Hundreds of householders were without lights for an hour or more last Sunday night, when something evidently went wrong at the Edison plant. Those who had their home equipped with auxiliary gas jets were the fortunate ones in this instance.

—The firemen of the Highland Station were called out on Saturday for a grass fire off Highland avenue, which spread over a large area, causing quite a little smoke and excitement. With brooms and chemicals the firemen made short work of the blaze.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

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WHEREAS, at a meeting of the County Commissioners for said County, on the first Tuesday of January A. D. 1925 On the petition of the Inhabitants of Burlington, praying for the relocation and specific repairs to the Middlesex line called from the Lexington line to the Bedford line, it was adjudged that said relocation and specific repairs are of common convenience and necessity:

Said Commissioners therefore give notice, that they will meet at Commissioner's Office, Court House, in Cambridge on the third day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to relocate and direct specific repairs accordingly.

FRDERICK L. PUTNAM, Asst. Clerk.

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ARLINGTON TOWN MEETING
 (Continued from Page 1)

Dennis J. Collins, 12 Schouler court; William P. Dale, 1085 Massachusetts avenue; Walter S. Elliott, 107 Pleasant street; Watson B. Henderson, 23 Court street; Thomas F. Kenney, 90 Brattle street; Joseph F. Long, 44 Elmwood road; Arthur B. Pearce, 16 Glen avenue; Marion K. Pearce, 12 Court street; Augustus J. Power, 1011 Massachusetts avenue; the following for One Year, Newell H. Hawes, 44 Robin Hood road; Walter E. Hight, 8 Old Mystic street; George W. Patch, 25 Draper avenue; James W. Wanamaker, 147 Forest street.

Preceding Six, Alma W. Allen, 16 Woodland street; Jacob Bitter, 1120 Massachusetts avenue; Everett E. Brainard, 45 Bartlett avenue; Frederic A. Horitter, 16 Newman avenue; Katharine W. Lacey, 32 Jason street; Horatio W. Lamson, 9 Robbins road; Mildred E. McCann, 51 Academy street; Herbert J. Munroe, 14 Windemere park; Howard B. S. Prescott, 75 Jason street; Charles M. Sawyer, 9 Robbins rd; Annie A. Teel, 11 Jason street; Mortimer H. Wels, 79 Jason st. (One Year); Fred F. Brown, 36 Bartlett avenue; F. G. Marion, 67 Bartlett avenue; James M. Vale, 12 Jason terrace; Rosemary R. Palmer, (One Year), 82 Bartlett avenue.

Preceding Seven, B. D. Bent, 20 Linden street; W. S. Coolidge, 18 Chestnut street; Frederick L. Corcoran, 19 Wollaston avenue; Lester N. Hayden, 19 Crescent Hill avenue; J. Howard Hayes, 27 Ashland street; William J. Henderson, 348 Appleton street; Allan MacIver, 45 Tanager street; Edward W. Nicoll, 10 Montague street; Alice Mayssie Patterson, 60 Claremont avenue; Edith Fay Pease, 14 Ashland street; Arthur E. Robinson, 91 Westminster avenue; Harry L. Tinkham, 12 West street (Two Years); Blanche T. Webster, 157 Westminster ave; H. A. Snow (One Year), 59 Claremont avenue.

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ARLINGTON LOCALS

St. Agnes Court, C. D. of A. will hold their regular meeting next Monday evening, in G. A. R. hall.

At the First Parish (Unitarian) church on Sunday morning, Dr. Gill will speak on "The Most Important Thing in Unitarianism."

The Samaritan Society will hold an all day industrial meeting Monday, Mar. 9, with Mrs. Lufkin at 15A Jason street.

Mrs. George D. Moore is spending some weeks in the south. She has been located at Orlando, Florida for over a month.

Mrs. Waterman A. Taft with her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Farr and Mr. Farr, are at Camden, South Carolina until the spring month is ushered in.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Stevens went to Washington to participate in the inauguration of President Coolidge. They were the guests of a brother of Mr. Stevens, who is spending the winter in the capitol city.

The W. C. T. Union will meet at 2.30 this Friday afternoon, in the First Baptist church chapel. Mrs. Burns, County vice-president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will be the speaker.

Sunday services in St. John's Episcopal Church, Rev. Charles Taber Hall, rector, 10.45 A. M. Morning Prayer and sermon "Bolt that Door," 4.30 P. M. service, and address by the Rev. R. W. Patton, D. D. Campaign director of the field department of the Church's National Council. On Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock an illustrated lecture on "The Colonial Church."

"The Religion of the New Renaissance" will be the subject of the first of four sermons on the religious spirit of today by Rev. Charles F. Patterson at the Universalist Church Sunday morning. An illustrated drama lecture, based on the well known play "For All of Us" will be given in the evening at 7.15.

Mr. F. A. Woodhead, manager of the Arlington Gas Light Company, is a patient at the Newton hospital, where he was operated upon Thursday of last week for appendicitis. Mr. Woodhead's host of friends will be glad to learn that he is making a satisfactory gain each day toward recovery.

During the Lenten season, Dr. Henry S. Potter will give a series of sermons at the First Baptist church Sunday mornings on "Interrogation Points in the Shadows" taking his text from the questions asked during the last days of Jesus.

The County Chairman has in its cast a name as well known in Arlington as the main street. Homer is the appellation and Miss Eleanor Homer as Mrs. Jefferson Briscoe has splendid opportunities to refresh the name.

On last Sunday evening, Mr. Arthur Clare and Mr. Harold Clare sang the duet "The Lord is My Light," by Buck, during the offertory at the First Baptist church. These evening services are being held in the

chapel which has been temporarily arranged for the use of our Baptist friends until their church auditorium is restored from the fire of last fall. There is an orchestra of young people who assist at these services, besides Miss Grace Gordon Pierce, who is the soloist and conductor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fellman of 10 Yale street are the parents of a baby girl born on Monday, March 2.

Mr. and Mrs. William V. Taintor are expected home from West Palm Beach tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon.

This (Friday) evening there will be devotions of the Holy Hour in St. Agnes Church at 8.00 o'clock, with special musical program by members of the church choir.

The Women's Missionary and Social Union of the First Baptist church meet next Monday, March 9th at 2.45. There will be special music and a program.

Miss Rachel A. Porter of 5 Arnold street passed away on February 25th, in her 76th year. Interment occurred at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery on Friday, February 27th.

Charlotte Rebecca McDonald of 491 Mass avenue, and Duncan David MacEachern of 10 Winter street, Somerville, were married in Somerville, Mass., February 25th, by Rev. George E. Heath.

At the annual meeting of Mass. Department Loyal Legion on Wednesday evening, comrade Alfred H. Knowles was elected commander for second term in that office.

The Community orchestra will hold a concert in Robbins Memorial Town hall, Monday, March 30. This orchestra has been organized under the direction of the Music committee of the Arlington Woman's Club.

Charles D. Traini, of 82 Harlow street, reported to the police on Tuesday, that a locker at some houses he was building in East Arlington had been broken into and a large number of tools stolen.

Arlington Lodge of Elks will hold its annual election of officers in G. A. R. Hall next Wednesday evening. The meeting is to be preceded by a dinner and social hour. The officers have made arrangements for a banner program on that evening.

The Middlesex Sportsman's band give a public rehearsal this Friday evening, at the club house. Anyone interested will be cordially welcomed. Go down and hear for yourself, what this band can give in the way of entertainment.

St. Malachi Court, M. C. of F. will hold a St. Patrick's night in A. O. H. Hall on Thursday, March 12th. The program will include addresses, dancing, a general good time and refreshments. Members are urged to attend.

The Bradshaw Missionary Society of the Orthodox Congregational church will hold a sewing meeting at the church on Friday, March 20th, at 10 o'clock. Luncheon to be served at 1 o'clock. The meeting is to be one of special importance and the members are urged to attend.

Tuesday evening James J. Roach of 101 Lake street, was driving his machine down Lake street, toward his home, when something went wrong with the machinery, causing his automobile to strike a tree. The machine was damaged quite badly, but the occupant was not hurt.

The various town departments have not as yet organized since election day. The Selectmen will organize next Monday evening, also the Board of Public Works, and the Joint Board on Tuesday evening. The various other departments during the coming week.

The interesting picture "Ram Das" that was filmed for the Inter-church World Movement and is an impressive revelation of the work on the Frontiers of the Kingdom, will be shown at Calvary Methodist Church on Sunday evening, March 8th at 7 o'clock.

The burial of Mrs. Elizabeth B. Pray, widow of Benjamin R. Pray, of East Parsonfield, Maine, who passed away on February 24th, at 60 Highland avenue, took place on Friday, February 27th, at Cornish Cemetery, Cornish, Maine. Mrs. Pray was born eighty-one years ago in Cornish, Me., the daughter of William Hammond.

We would say in regard to the physical examination of pupils in the public schools that has recently claimed attention, that the rules and regulations issued by the School Committee copy the state law covering this matter and that there has been no order emanating from that board conflicting with it in any way.

Provision is being made for action that will cover slightest technicalities that in the past, may not have been complied with.

The Boy Scouts and members of Post 36, G. A. R. were the guests of the management of the Regent theatre on Tuesday evening, when the splendid picture, "Janice Meredith" was given. It was with a feeling of pride that some in the audience at least, noted the reverence and respect the scouts showed when old glory was thrown on the screen. The troop was in charge of Scout Master Charles Allen, grandson of Mr. Charles W. Allen, president of the Arlington Five Cents Savings bank, and the late Omar W. Whitemore.

Dr. Harold Webb with his younger son Edgar, also S. Trafford Hicks and his son, Trafford, left Arlington Thursday evening, for Maine, where they will spend a few days fishing. Edgar and Trafford were looking forward to the experience with great glee. As Edgar said to the reporter, "We are going to live in a real log cabin and fish through the ice. Won't be fun!" We are sure the boys will not forget this trip with "Daddy."

Some of the doctor's patients are likely to hear some good fish stories on his return.

ARLINGTON ADVOCATE

MARCH 6, 1925

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Mr. Gerard B. Ladd, past chaplain of Post 39, American Legion, went to Washington Saturday, to see the inauguration of President Coolidge and to renew old acquaintances in the army, where he was stationed at the close of the war.

The Menotomy Chapter, D. A. R. will meet Friday, March 13th, at the Parish House, Pleasant street. It being Guest day, state officers, the president of the Arlington Woman's Club and other invited guests will be present. Miss Bertha Bartlett of Lynn will talk on "My Travels."

At the meeting of the Woman's Guild next Wednesday, March 11th, at 3 o'clock in the Parish House, Mrs. Nichols Burke will speak about the work of the church in Japan and the Philippines. All women are very cordially invited. A social hour will follow the address.

The March meeting of the Arlington Circle of the Florence Crittenton League will be held at the home of Mrs. James A. Bailey, 14 Wellington street, on Wednesday, March 11th at 3 p. m. Rev. Mr. Lathrop of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children will address the meeting.

Wednesday morning the firemen were called on an alarm from box 39 for a slight fire in the cellar in the home of Mrs. Lillian Smith, 10 Jason street. Wednesday afternoon there was a call from box 271 for a grass fire in the meadow of Mystic street, opposite Summer street.

Boy Scouts Troop 4 presented the moving picture, Peck's Bad Boy, which features Jackie Coogan, Wednesday afternoon and evening of this week, in the vestry of Calvary Methodist church. Mr. Philip Alsen is Scout Master of the troop and through his efforts and those of his troop, \$75.00 was realized from admissions and \$10 from the candy sold. There were 135 present in the afternoon and 250 in the evening. The money will be used to assist in furnishing the troops headquarters, which are in the belfry room of the church.

The annual meeting and election of officers was held by the Ladies Aid of Calvary Church on Tuesday evening, March 3rd, at the church, when the following officers were elected:—Mrs. A. M. Simmons, president; Mrs. J. Robert Bentley, treasurer; Mrs. Ralph D. Kinney, financial secretary and Mrs. A. J. Wallace, corresponding secretary. The vice-president and recording secretary will be appointed later. Refreshments were served by Mrs. W. D. Storey. Mrs. Fred Robinson, Mrs. Charles Ross and Mrs. Joseph Paine when a social hour was enjoyed. The next meeting will be the installation of officers and will be held on April 7th.

We have been asked the question since the last earthquake, whether the world was coming to an end. Well, we can't answer the question, but as earthquakes have been occurring for centuries, one guess is as good as another. Those who were seated quietly at home pursuing the even tenure of their way did have a bit of a shock when they found the chair in which they were seated, beginning to rock and the pictures on the wall moved perceptibly. Dishes on the shelves rattle and in some cases crashed to the floor. There came a report of a lady of this town who had been seriously ill for some weeks, and was still confined to her bed. When it began to rock and sway, she called to those in the house to come to her aid. Fearing that she had had a return of the delirium, which had accompanied her illness, the doctor was called. In reply, the doctor assured the patient that it was not a delusion, that he had felt the shock and had, with his wife and children, hastened from the house. It was a strange experience for Arlington.

ARLINGTON WOMAN'S CLUB
 There was an unusually large attendance of members of the Arlington Woman's Club at its meeting held yesterday afternoon, in Robbins Memorial Town Hall, when Maude Huntington-Benjamin gave a most enjoyable presentation of the well known play, "The Fool." Previous to her reading, Alexandre Nicoli gave a finished rendering of several violin numbers. Mrs. Walter Mooers, chairman of the Legislative department, reported on the recent convention held at Malden in a splendid manner, speaking especially of the bills presented to the legislature which Mrs. Atwell of Lynn previously explained to the club at a previous meeting.

The president called the attention of club members to the concert to be given by the Community orchestra, March 30, in which the club is interested.

RECENT DEATHS

DAVID IRWIN

David Irwin of 978 Mass. avenue, passed away at his home on Monday, March 2nd. He was born in Ireland, May 22, 1846, the son of William and Deborah C. Irwin. Funeral services were held on Thursday, March 5th at his late residence at 2.30 in charge of Rev. Charles T. Hall, of the St. John's Episcopal church. Music was by Paul R. Bennett, tenor soloist. Interment was at Mt. Pleasant.

TIMOTHY DONAHOE

Monday, March 2, Timothy Donahoe passed away at the home of his son, Mr. J. J. Donahoe, 75 Bartlett avenue, with whom he has made his home the past four years, previous to that time residing in Dorchester. He was born in Ireland, eighty years ago and came to this country when quite young, having lived the greater part of his life in Dorchester. Funeral services were held on Thursday morning, March 5th at St. Agnes Church with solemn high mass of requiem. Interment was at Calvary Cemetery, Mt. Hope. Besides his son, Jeremiah J., the deceased is survived by a sister, Mrs. Hannah Crayton, of Norfolk street, Cambridge.

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KATHLEEN CLAIRE CROVO

Kathleen Claire Crovo, daughter of Herbert M. and the late Annie T. Ryder Crovo, died at her father's home, 15 Melrose street on Thursday, Feb. 26, following an illness of only a few days with pneumonia. Her death is a severe blow to her many friends. Kathleen, who was 13 years old, was a student at the Junior High Center. Principal Matthews of the school regarded her as a model pupil, not only in her work as a student, but in character. That she was well-liked by her classmates was attested to on Sunday afternoon, when the funeral services were held in St. Agnes Church when a large delegation of the student body, headed by Principal Matthews, attended. The prayers were read by Rev. Donald F. Simpson. Classmates acted as bearers. Burial was in Holy Cross cemetery, Woburn. There were a vast number of floral tributes. Besides her father, the girl is survived by two brothers and two sisters.

MRS. ROY D. YOUNG

Georgia E. Young, wife of Dr. Roy D. Young, passed away last (Thursday) evening, after a long and trying illness. Mrs. Young is the only sister of Mrs. Otis R. Whittemore of 8 Brantwood road and was 50 years old. The funeral services will be held tomorrow, Saturday at the Youngs' home, 788 Massachusetts avenue.

JOHN W. WILSON

John W. Wilson, a resident of Lexington for 21 years, died in the Boston City Hospital, Feb. 23. His home was on Ward street, North Lexington. He was born in Hampton, Va., on May 17, 1862, the son of William and Diana Cook Wilson. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rose A. Wilson, and several children. The funeral was at the People's Baptist Church, Boston, and burial in Mount Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury.

MRS. MARY B. GUINEY

Mrs. Mary B. Guiney, daughter of Mrs. Ina Kenna, and the late John J. Kenna, died at her mother's home, Palmer street, on Thursday of last week, following an